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Special to the Colonist.
Ottawa, Nov. 5.—The report made by Major Walsh to the minister of the interior respecting the Yukon district has been issued. It is a comprehensive statement of the conditions as Major Walsh found them in the gold country and it contains many suggestions for the guidance of the government in dealing with its administration.

FOOD SUPPLIES.
Upon the food question, Major Walsh says to permit of this district being thoroughly prospected and developed the population must be assured of its food supply beyond peradventure and at reasonable rates, and the only way in which such a supply can be thus secured is by providing transportation facilities.

THE MAILS.
The post office department, he says, should take over the mail service of this district, certainly the Dawson part of it. The service is growing larger and requires the full attention of a postmaster with a few clerks thoroughly educated in the service. It is impossible for the police to handle it satisfactorily. He recommends the establishment of a branch post office at the forks of El-dorado and Bonanza creeks.

ROYALTY A HARSHSHIP.
Discussing the royalty question, the Major says it was imposed on claims which could not show a profit. The collection of royalty will amount to over a million dollars.

MINING DISPUTES.
As to order and Sabbath observance he says it has been a matter of gratification to note the law abiding and orderly character of the permanent and transient residents of Dawson and the district generally. He recommends that an assistant judge for Dawson district be appointed, and that one of his duties be the deciding of mining disputes. He does not think that anyone but a lawyer is qualified to try these cases. This suggestion has been acted upon in the appointment of Mr. Senkler as gold commissioner.

The appointment of steamboat inspectors is also recommended.

A GREAT FUTURE.
He considers the output of \$10,000,000 a remarkable showing and justifies great expectations for the future. The output of gold, he believes, will continue from year to year until it reaches a sum which will class the district among the great mining camps of the world. Klondike will be a mining district for at least twenty-five years, affording rich and we must secure the trade consequent upon the consumption, at least 75 per cent of which should be ours. We can get this trade if we so desire and take the necessary steps, that is not only the trade of British Yukon but the trade of the lower Yukon river as far down as Fort Yukon.

MINING OPERATIONS IN THE YUKON have only begun and with improved facilities for operating and with the introduction of the hydraulic system of mining it is impossible to foretell what the future will yield.

SURPRISING APATHY.
Major Walsh proceeds: "Before leaving this subject, I feel that it is my duty to state that the trade of the Yukon district is certainly going to be lost to Canada if something is not done to correct the mistake made last session in the defeat of the 'Before the War' bill. This matter of trade is, in my opinion, a question of the greatest importance to Canada, and one which should have the close attention of the government. To-day it is \$8,000,000; ten years from to-day it will be four times that, or \$32,000,000. At least 80 per cent of this enormous trade should come to the provinces of Canada, which produce nearly everything that is required in the district. It is to me a matter of surprise that the business men of Canada have not taken greater interest in this question. In fact it appears to me that our people generally have given little if any attention to the district."

MAJOR WALSH deals with the rumors of official wrongdoing, and characterizes as absolutely false the reports published in certain newspapers accusing officers of corruption. He says he has inquired into matters which have come to his notice through the press, and found no foundation for the statements.

GOOD FIELD FOR TRADE.
Good facilities for communication and transportation must be provided in the district. A telegraph line is an immediate necessity, and the construction of a railway from the coast to the headwaters of steamboat, and river transportation are matters of the greatest importance. With these in operation, food and supplies will be cheap, and the price of labor be so reduced that wages can be made on a grand, that will pay a miner from \$5 to \$10 per day; and when this is done, the Yukon district ought to give to the Eastern provinces of the Dominion a trade that in a few years that will exceed that of any foreign nation.

OFFICIALS HOLDING CLAIMS.
Major Walsh says that he fails to see any reason for not permitting officials to take up mining claims in the Yukon district, nor any way in which the public or public service can be thereby injured.

The ex-administrator dissents from the proposition that the government should

prohibit aliens from taking up mining claims in British Yukon.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT.
As to the government of the Yukon, Major Walsh says: "For the government of the Yukon district I would recommend the appointment of a council to consist of four appointed and four elected members, the appointed members to be selected from the population of the district, and the elected members to be returned from the districts of Dawson, Stewart River, Pelly River and Hootalinqua River. That is, each of these districts to be entitled to the election of such representatives. I would also recommend that a census or registration be taken of all British subjects in the district, and that they only be eligible to vote for the four representatives above referred to. The federal government should also convey to the Yukon council such power as will enable the council to grant incorporation to towns and municipalities. If the act passed last session with regard to this district does not contain the necessary provisions."

NEWS OF THE CAPITAL.

Major Walsh Says He Failed to Secure Evidence of Official Wrongdoing.

District Officers Commanding to Confer With General Hutton—Atlantic Mail Contract.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, Nov. 5.—Major Walsh's report on his administration of the Yukon was issued to-day, but important portions have been eliminated; for instance, his views on the royalty, the abolition of which Major Walsh is known to favor. The ex-administrator admits that he was wrong regarding the jurisdiction of the Territories respecting liquor permits in the Yukon. He says he challenged parties to produce evidence of wrongdoing on the part of officials, but failed to get a single charge.

The cabinet is working longer hours than usual these days in preparation for sessional business.

A peremptory letter has gone to the Atlantic coast instructing the winter mail contract immediately, or else the government will cease to do business with them. The trouble was over the desire of the steamship company to send their vessels from Liverpool on Saturdays, the same day as the Cunard liners leave, while the government insists on Thursdays.

District officers commanding, except those from the Manitoba and British Columbia districts, have been summoned to Ottawa for four days' conference with General Hutton.

VANCOUVER AFFAIRS.

Another Cannery Promised—Real Estate Advancing—Police Seize a Faro Outfit.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Vancouver, Nov. 5.—A faro game was seized by the police last night. The expensive outfit was seized, and three young men were arrested.

Messrs. Farrell and Costello will erect a large fish cannery factory here on two water-front lots purchased from the Sinclair Cannery company.

Samuel Matheson, who was reported dead in the Klondike recently, arrived from the North to-day, alive and well. He reports having struck it rich, and goes to his old home in the Maritime provinces to bring his brothers back to share his fortunes.

A meeting of the Young Liberal-Conservative club was held last night, with a good attendance. Addresses were given by Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, Dr. Wilson, J. W. Martin, of Birmingham, Eng., and others. The club will establish a reading room.

Real estate is moving very briskly in Vancouver just now, at a handsome advance on the prices of two years ago. Numerous transfers are taking place daily.

Manager Jamieson's first show since his disappointment of the amateurs was the "Before the War" performance, and certainly the attendance gave no indication of the suggested boycott. The house was densely packed, even the aisles being occupied.

FUGITIVE NABBED.

Philadelphia, Nov. 4.—Deputy United States Marshal George D. Henry, of St. Paul, Minn., and John J. Downey, captain of police detectives, arrived here to-day, having in custody Wm. H. Walker, who since May last has been a fugitive from the jurisdiction of the United States court of this district.

Walker was arrested in May last for using the mails to defraud and was released on bail. He failed to appear on the date fixed for hearing and a few days later Walker's wife identified a body at the morgue as her husband, but as it was identified as that of another person, Mrs. Walker's identification was considered by the police as a deception to cover his escape. He was arrested as he stepped from the ferry on the Detroit side the other day.

LONDON ON THE TRUCE.

Belief That War Is Inevitable and That Present Is Most Opportune Time.

French Intrigues With Sultan and Khedive Defeated by British Diplomacy.

Though the New Premier Would Avoid Conflict He Serves Fickle Masters.

By Associated Press.

London, Nov. 5.—The Marquis of Salisbury's declaration on the subject of the withdrawal of the French mission from Fashoda, made at the Mansion House banquet last night in honor of Gen. Lord Kitchener, is not regarded here as being wholly satisfactory. The entire absence of any reference to the extraordinary naval preparations is considerably commented upon, and it is remarked how carefully the British Premier was to explain that the evacuation of Fashoda was only in the nature of oil on troubled waters and that British diplomacy had not yet weathered the storm which the Marchand mission conjured up. It is recognized that the French premier, M. Dupuy, and his colleagues intend to carry out what they had promised, but a factor which must be reckoned with is the fact that there are influences at work in Paris which render the existence of any ministry precarious and which might at any moment in the event of certain contingencies, provoke a general upheaval. In such an event the Fashoda business, which has been more or less carefully kept in the background, would be rushed to the front, in order to distract attention from other things, and would be used as a rallying cry for all parties and classes of Frenchmen.

The English papers point out that the evacuation of Fashoda is only an installment of the satisfaction expected by Great Britain and that France has yet to swallow the pill of withdrawing from the Bahr el Ghazal region. Under these circumstances the debate in the French chamber of deputies on Fashoda next week is eagerly awaited, as the French government is then expected to explain its intentions regarding the remainder of the French posts in the Nile valley established by Major Marchand.

DUPUY IS FRIENDLY.

In diplomatic circles a reassuring impression has been made by M. Dupuy's declaration of yesterday evening that the French government's policy was based on well understood interests and that its efforts will be measured by the value of the object in view. This is held to imply that the present government will show a conciliatory attitude on the remaining points in dispute. It is said that Gen. Kitchener has prepared and placed before the Marquis of Salisbury a scheme defining the frontier of Bahr el Ghazal, and the positions he regards as vital to the proper protection of the Sudan and Egypt.

An indication of the probable character of the final arrangement of the question is found in a map drafted by Major Marchand himself, which has reached Paris and which he sketched his route from the river Oubangui as far as Fort Dessaix. This map demonstrates the town of Jambura, which is close to the recognized frontier between the French and Egyptian possessions and has navigable communication with the Nile.

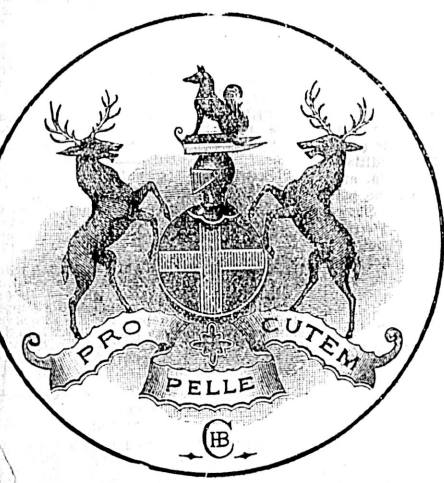
FIVE OTHER POSTS.

The French officer established five other posts on the Egyptian side of the Jambura. These, the British premier insists, France must abandon, but she can retain Jambura and the country westward of that place. Thus France will have unobstructed water run from the Congo to Lower Egypt, without encroaching upon the Bahr el Ghazal province. The attitude of the Marquis of Salisbury towards the commercial side of the question is explained by the London Times, which after reiterating Great Britain's determination to allow France a foothold in the Bahr el Ghazal province, says: "A French outlet to the Nile for commercial purposes is secured by our general commercial policy and may be doubly secured by a treaty provided she grants Egypt reciprocal commercial facilities in the French Congo."

FRENCH INTRIGUES.

The attention of the Sultan of Turkey and the Khedive of Egypt on the Egyptian question is being closely watched and it is said the British foreign office has received proofs of attempts upon the part of France to influence both of them against Great Britain. The intrigues at Constantinople, it is added, were greatly checked by the present relations between Great Britain and the Germans, and the diplomatic agent in Egypt, Lord Cromer, has taken the Khedive in hand and is understood to have put before him a sort of ultimatum which may have involved his deposition (Continued on page 2.)

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Dardanelles	7 1/2
Gopher	10
Cariboo Camp McKinley	40
Iron Colt	30
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Athabasca has advanced during the week ten cents per share. Those clients who followed our advice have made from 30 to 40 per cent on their investment. We still advise it as a good buy on the very best information. We shall have another safe investment to offer on Tuesday.

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Monte Cristo	12
James' Creek Consolidated	10
Dardanelles	10 1/2
Nelson-Poorman	18 1/2
Deer Park	18 1/2
Gopher	10 1/2
Giant	60 1/2
Good Hope	10 1/2
Homebake (assessment paid)	10 1/2
Iron Colt	30
Noble Five	17
Silver Bell	12
Virginia	12
Iron Horse	10 1/2

Quotations for other stocks to be had on application at our office. List your stocks with us, as we are in daily communication by wire with Toronto, Montreal, Spokane, Rossland and other outside cities.

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On Clarke street, Spring Ridge	150
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On Kane street (6 rooms)	\$17.00
" Dallas road (6 rooms)	17.50
" Boyd street (6 rooms)	18.00
On Fairfield road (5 rms.)	5.00
On Front st., Victoria West (6 rms.)	5.00
" Green street (4 rooms)	5.00
" Labouchere street (6 rooms)	8.00
" North rd., Spring Ridge (6 rms.)	6.00
" Russell street, Victoria West	6.00
" Steward st., Spring Ridge (5 rms.)	5.00
" Vining street (5 rooms)	4.00

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Seeded Raisins 2 lbs. for	25c
Cleaned Currants, 3 lbs. for	25c
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Sherry	50c
Boiled Cider	35c

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PRIZE CRUISER LOST.

Infanta Maria Teresa Saved the
Humiliation of Entering Her
Captors' Service.

Survivor of Cervera's Fleet Sinks
While in Tow to New
York.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Nov. 5.—News of the loss of the Spanish cruiser Maria Teresa came to the navy department in a despatch from Lieut. Commander Harris received about 10 o'clock this morning. The despatch was from Charleston, S. C., and read: "Arrived here last night on steamer Merritt with all of the crew of the Infanta Maria Teresa, abandoned in heavy northeastern November 1 thirty miles north of San Salvador. Have 50 enlisted men."

Upon the receipt of the news, the naval officers attached to the navigation charts immediately consulted the charts to locate the scene of the disaster. The first glance satisfied them that the last glimpse had been seen of the ill-fated Maria Teresa, for as near as they could calculate the vessel lies in about 2,000 fathoms of water, or nearly three miles.

It was the general impression that the loss of the Maria Teresa would prevent any further attempt to bring any of the other vessels to this country. The vessel sank at midnight on Tuesday after battling with the gale six hours. She met the storm Tuesday morning and began to strain in the high seas. Parts of the hull thought to be safe became weakened; the rivets broke, and the water made rapidly in the hold. The boilers began to give way and finally the water extinguished the fires in the engine room. The pumps would not work. The water showed signs of a collapse and the men stood stripped awaiting orders to quit the ship.

The Vulcan was towing the Teresa, while the Merritt rescued 114 of the crew. The ropes were then cut and the Teresa filled rapidly.

The cruiser Maria Teresa left Caimanera, Cuba, on the morning of October 30 in tow for New York. She had safely passed Cape May and started north-east about the Bahama islands, when the storm, warning of which had already been sent out, overtook her.

THE EMPEROR'S TRIP.

His Gift to the Catholics a Clever
Stroke—Comment on Decay
of Turkey.

Berlin, Nov. 5.—Emperor William's gift of the abode of the Virgin Mary to the German Catholics was a very clever move, and has made a profound and favorable impression among the Catholics. The remarks of the Emperor clearly showed this, for even the usually venomous German records His Majesty's uninstigated praise, and says: "The possession of the abode, which has been the heart's desire of German Catholics for years, and which French influence was unable to get from the Sultan, was due to the energetic and well-directed efforts of the Kaiser, which achieved their object immediately where France notoriously failed."

The Empress, during the whole of her trip to the Orient, has sent the Imperial children, from every new place, pictorial post cards. When leaving Constantinople, Her Majesty forgot to post them, and she caused the Imperial yacht Hohenzollern to stop, and went ashore herself to carry out her promise. "The excuse of the Empress for the delay was, 'I promised the children.'"

The Turkish officials were horror-stricken at Von Bulow's freedom of speech before the Emperor at the Hotel de Ville, where there were some amusing disputes between the Emperor and his foreign minister over some splendid carpet, ending with Von Bulow selecting some of the best specimens.

During the reception of the diplomatic corps, the Emperor conversed repeatedly with the members of the Greek legation, and said it would greatly please him if the attempts recently made to establish a lasting understanding between Turkey and Greece proved successful.

Another remark attributed to Emperor William occasioned great surprise. He reported to the Kaiser at the Hotel de Ville, "During the last year, the decay of Turkey has advanced rapidly."

CUBAN GENERAL CALLED DOWN

Told That He Would Himself Be
Hanged if He Carried Out Court
Martial Sentence.

Santiago de Cuba, Nov. 5.—An incident occurred here which is causing much talk among the Cubans and is liable to create ill feeling.

The Cuban general Perez, who has half a dozen times announced his intention to disband the troops under his command but has not done so, recently ordered the trial by court martial of one of his men on a charge of desertion from the army in time of war.

The prisoner was condemned to death, but before the sentence was executed notification was sent to General Wood, commander of the military in the department of Santiago. General Perez was at once informed that if the man was executed he and the firing party would be hanged as soon as the courts could legally sentence them.

He was instructed if a man committed a crime punishable under their civil law to turn him over to the proper authorities, who will look into the case, but was told that in no circumstance will tribunals like those of the present insurgent army be allowed to try and sentence prisoners to death or even to imprisonment. Furthermore Perez was notified that this man now under sentence of death must be turned over to the American authorities if there was a charge against him, or be released.

LONDON ON THE TRUCE.

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In favor of his brother, whereupon the Kaiser became submissive, and indicated as a token of his submission his willingness to visit England and pay his respects to Queen Victoria, a duty which he has hitherto evaded, although he has paid prolonged visits to several European capitals.

THINK WAR INEVITABLE.

A majority of the people here have been convinced that war between Great Britain and France is inevitable sooner or later and many expressions of regret were heard today at the military and other clubs that the conflict, apparently it is not to take place in the near future, its it is the general belief that the army and navy are in a perfect state of preparedness. The general feeling in the country is such as would endorse any warlike action upon the part of the government. In any case work at the arsenals and dockyards actively and silently continues and information on the subject has been curtailed to an unprecedented extent. The officials have strict orders not to talk. The Admiralty has suspended its daily announcements of movements of British ships abroad and the naval men express the opinion that such far-reaching preparation means something far more than a naval demonstration.

The whole reserve squadron has assembled at Devonport and is now completely fitted out and ready to sail at a few hours' notice. Besides this eight reserve cruisers at Portsmouth three first class cruisers, the Europa, St. George and Crescent, and five second class cruisers, the Latona, Naid, Sybil, Mercury and Iris, have been ordered to be commissioned for service with the emergency squadron.

DOMINION NEWS NOTES

Another Liberal Member Booked
for Office—Hamilton Mayor's
Wife Injured.

Train Load of Coal Miners for
Crow's Nest Pass—Trivial
Election Protest.

Special to the Colonist.

Toronto, Nov. 5.—It is reported here that James McMullen, M.P., will succeed Mr. Patterson as governor of Manitoba, a deal being now on by which Mr. Patterson will be given another office.

THE INJURED SAILORS.

Winnipeg, Nov. 5.—The three men who were injured in the wreck of the naval train this week are progressing nicely towards recovery at the Winnipeg hospital.

FOR CROW'S NEST MINES.

Winnipeg, Nov. 5.—A special train with 150 coal miners from Nova Scotia for Crow's Nest, passed through the city this afternoon.

ST. STEPHEN LADY DEAD.

St. Stephen, N. B., Nov. 5.—John D. Chipman has received a cablegram announcing the death of his sister, Mrs. Owen Jones, in London, England. Mrs. Jones was a daughter of the late Zachariah Chipman, of this town. She leaves a husband and her mother, Mrs. Chipman, who resides here; three sisters, Lady Thilly, of St. John, Mrs. Holland, of Toronto, and Mrs. Toller, of Ottawa; and one brother, Mr. John D. Chipman, M. P., of this town.

MAYOR'S WIFE HURT.

Hamilton, Nov. 5.—Colquhoun, wife of the mayor of Hamilton, and her daughter were hurt somewhat seriously today, when driving between Hamilton and Dundas. A trolley car jumped the track and crashed into the vehicle in which they were driving.

A PUP IN POLITICS.

Toronto, Nov. 5.—The West York protest case continued today and was adjourned until Monday. No sensational evidence so far has been adduced, the judge dismissing all the charges to date. The purchase of a pup was the first charge brought on, and the transaction was declared perfectly legitimate. It is quite probable that the case will be abandoned on Monday.

MANITORA'S TREASURER.

Winnipeg, Nov. 5.—Col. McMillan, provincial treasurer, who has been confined to his home for some time by illness, is slowly recovering.

ROSSLAND'S OUTPUT.

Rossland, Nov. 5.—One shipment from Rossland mines for the week ending today were as follows: Le Roi, 2,300; War Eagle, 800; total, 3,100 tons. The total shipments since January 1, 1898, were 91,023 tons.

NORTHWEST ELECTIONS.

General Success for Government—Mr. Sifton's Brother Defeats Leader of Opposition.

Winnipeg, Nov. 5.—(Special)—Latest returns of the Northwest elections show the following results:

South Regina—Hawkes, Independent, 67 majority; four polls to hear from.

North Regina—G. W. Brown, Government, 160 majority; eight polls to hear from.

Medicine Hat—Greedy, 32 majority; four polls to hear from.

Wolsely—Dr. Elliott elected by 52 majority.

Macaulay—Macaulay, 65 majority, four polls missing.

Prince Albert West—McKay, 50 majority.

Batoche—Charles Mitchell, 20 majority.

Mitchell—D. Stewart, 10 majority; four polls missing.

Butte—Complete returns elect A. L. Sifton over Dr. Brett, leader of the opposition, by 36. There are 23 disputed ballots.

DESPATCHES IN BRIEF

State Elections at Hand—Britannia and Columbia in Lord Mayor's Procession.

Ocean Racing of German Steamers—Student Duelling Forbidden by University.

By Associated Press.

ASSASSIN'S CAGED.
Rio Janeiro, Nov. 5.—Five of the men engaged in a plot to assassinate the President of Brazil, Dr. Prudente J. Moraes, on November 5, 1897, were sentenced today. The so-called ringleader, Dioclesiano, was sentenced to thirty years, and the others had sentences of from fourteen years to twenty-four years' imprisonment.

COLLEGIATE FOOTBALL.
Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 5.—Harvard won the football game today against Pennsylvania by a score of ten to nothing.

STATE ELECTIONS.

Washington, Nov. 5.—There will be elections in 42 states on Tuesday. In ten of them only congressmen will be voted for. In one congressmen and legislators. Twenty-two will elect legislators that will choose United States senators. Twenty-one will elect governors and full or partial sets of state officers.

NEW RECORDS.

Philadelphia, Nov. 5.—Major Taylor, the colored bicycle rider, today lowered the two mile and quarter mile records on the Woodside Park bicycle track. He went the two miles in 3:33.5, and the quarter mile in 22.5.

BRITANNIA AND COLUMBIA.

London, Nov. 5.—In the Lord Mayor's procession on Wednesday next there will be a car emblematic of the English-speaking races, representing among other things, Britannia and Columbia, seated beneath the canopy, while the American flag will be borne by a British sailor and the British flag will be borne by an American sailor. There also will be an illustration of Admiral Tait's "Blood is thicker than water" and of Admiral Kimberley's repetition of the same thing to Capt. Cane after the disaster at Apia, Samoa.

FRENCH ROYALISTS.

London, Nov. 5.—The Duke of Orleans who is at Brussels is being closely shadowed by French detectives, as the French government has been warned that he is preparing for some important movement. The activity of Prince Louis Napoleon, however, is causing more anxiety to the French government. He is evidently awaiting an opportunity and his chances are infinitely more favorable than those of the Duke of Orleans.

OCEAN RACING.

Berlin, Nov. 5.—The German government officials have ordered an investigation into a reported ocean race between the White Star liner Teutonic and the North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Friedrich, which has been warned that the Kaiser Friedrich belongs to a subsidized company, the government will also be interpellated in the reichstag on the subject by Herr Richter, the radical leader.

STUDENT DUELLING.

Berlin, Nov. 5.—A serious blow has been dealt to student duelling by the action of the senate of the university of Heidelberg, which has requested eight college students accused of challenging to fight duels to leave the university for the college year. This is the first time any German university has taken serious action against duelling and the fact that a university of such standing has taken the initiative is certain to have an important influence in the direction of the entire abolition of duelling.

LATE TRAFFIC COMBINE.

New York, Nov. 4.—The following commission has been appointed to wind up the affairs of the Traffic and Association: H. J. Hayden, representing the New York Central and affiliated business; D. H. Gray, the Pennsylvania; George Randolph, the Baltimore & Ohio; George C. Cochrane, the Erie; John Burdett, the G. T. R.; H. C. Hicks, the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western; General Boardman, the Lehigh Valley; M. Knight, the Washburn, and George Olds, the C. P. R.

BOILER MAKERS KILLED.

Oil City, Pa., Nov. 4.—By the explosion of a new boiler at the Oil City boiler works today, two men were killed, two fatally injured and a dozen more slightly hurt. The killed are: Charles McCloskey and John Frawley. Fatally injured: B. J. Giddens, both legs broken and injured internally; Dennis McMahon, injured internally. The cause of the explosion was a defective gauge.

DRIFTED ASHORE.

London, Nov. 4.—The British steamer Manchester City, from Shields for Montreal, previously reported having a disabled rudder and waiting to be towed to the Tyne, is ashore on the Sands at Nigg bay in Cromarty Firth.

FRENCH MILITARY STAFF.

Paris, Nov. 4.—The minister of war, M. de Freycinet, has signed a decree removing General Renouard from the head of the general staff and appointing him to the command of the 11th army corps, at Nantes. It is suggested that the minister's action was due to General Renouard's attitude in regard to the secret documents in the Dreyfus case. General Braud has been appointed to succeed General Renouard.

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GERMAN JEALOUSY.

Popular Resentment at American
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Official Action.

By Associated Press.

Berlin, Nov. 5.—The news that the United States now demands the whole of the Philippines has created much interest. The German newspapers comment unfavorably upon it. The Cologne Gazette says: "The interests of Germany will be especially injured by the American annexation, as the policy of open door which has hitherto reigned under the Spanish flag will be quickly ended."

Moreover, the American demand, from a humane point of view, is unheeded. It means the squeezing of a fallen foe to the last drop of blood and would sully the name of the victor. The whole sympathies of the world would be on the side of Spain, brutally ground down by her enemy."

The National Zeitung points out that the Philippine islands would, in American hands, become not only of immense commercial value, but of paramount importance, which all the powers having interests in the Far East are bound to consider. Therefore, the National Zeitung thinks, some power may oppose the change of ownership.

The Vissische Zeitung lectures the United States for its alleged greed, and the Deutsche Zeitung decries the United States' demand as a "piece of character" and "a piece of character" and calls upon Europe to "put its foot down while there is yet time."

THE TRE ROOF FALLS.

Detroit's New "Wonderland" in
Ruins and Upwards of Fif-
teen Workmen Killed.

Detroit, Nov. 5.—The new five-story Wonderland theatre building is to-night practically in ruins, and 15 or more lives have been sacrificed by an appalling accident which occurred this afternoon.

Shortly before 2 o'clock, when some 35 men were at work in various parts of the unfinished building, the roof fell in without a second's warning. Nearly every workman was carried down into the theatre.

The top gallery was crushed down upon the lower gallery, forming a slope down which slid broken steel girders, planks, timbers, brick and a great quantity of cement from the roof, and carrying along a struggling company of men, very few of whom escaped injury. The front of the building remained intact, but the east side wall threatened to fall.

Notwithstanding the danger, the work of rescuing the injured and taking out the dead was rushed, and good progress was made until 5:15, when the upper portion of the east wall fell, a shower of bricks striking around the crowd of laborers, and newspaper men, extinguishing the temporary electric lights and causing a stampede for the street. Fortunately no one was struck by the second downfall.

Mayor Maybury and other city officials who were on the scene thereupon decided not to imperil life further, in order to extricate the dead bodies, and work was suspended until to-morrow.

KILLED ONLY A COON.

Winnipeg Negro Thinks That Should
Not Be a Hanging Matter.

Winnipeg, Nov. 5.—(Special)—The trial of the negro, Paul Brown, for murder, will be commenced on Monday morning in the assize court.

Brown was brought in and pleaded guilty, but his counsel requested a continuance of the trial until the accused is brought to the court by the Crown for the prisoner, intimating that he would put in a plea of insanity as his defence for the accused.

Brown, it appears, does not wish to be defended by Mr. Bonnar. He says he does not want anyone to try to make out that he is insane. He would rather be hanged than sent to an asylum. However, he says he does not think the judge would hang him for shooting a coon.

SEVEN MINERS KILLED.

A Careless Engineer Backs Loaded Cars
Down 300-Foot Shaft.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Nov. 5.—Seven men were killed and three fatally injured at Exeter colliery, on the Lehigh Valley Coal company's grounds at West Pittston, near here, this morning. The accident was due to a careless engineer, David Price, who, by disobedience of orders, caused three cars to run into the top shaft. These cars, loaded and weighing 11 tons, fell down the 300-foot shaft and crashed with frightful force upon a carriage carrying seven men. Seven were almost instantly killed.

Price, in charge of the little donkey-engine, was shifting loaded cars. His orders were to approach the breaker with the engine at the head of the train. A few days ago he was caught pushing cars, and was threatened with discharge for disobeying the orders. Today he did the same thing, and instead of curving around the shaft, the cars dashed into it.

BANKERS' ASSOCIATION.

The Canadian bankers at their recent convention elected the following officers: Honorary presidents—Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal; George Hague, Montreal; F. Wolfenden, Toronto; general manager of the Bank of Montreal, Montreal; vice-presidents—D. Coulson, general manager of the Bank of Toronto, Ontario; H. Stikeman, general manager of the Bank of British North America, Montreal; Geo. Burn, general manager of the Bank of Queen's, Executive committee—B. S. Clouston, general manager of the Bank of Montreal; B. E. Walker, general manager of the Bank of Commerce; Thos. Fysher, joint general manager of the Merchants' Bank, Montreal; D. R. Wilkie, general manager of the Imperial Bank; G. A. Schofield, Montreal; G. Gillespie, manager of the Bank of Canada, P. O. B. D. Gamble, general manager of the Bank of Montreal; T. Blivenau, general manager of the Jacques Cartier Bank, Auditors—T. Blivenau, J. G. Muir.

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BASKET BALL.

Won By Victoria.

A most closely contested match between teams from the First and Second Battalions, Fifth Regiment, took place in the Drill hall last evening. Play was at times very good on both sides, with the exception of the shooting. Neither teams seemed to be able to get the ball into the basket. The Mainland team put up much the better game in combination, but the individual play of Victoria carried them to victory. The goals were scored for Victoria by Erskine (1), York (2), Winsby (1), and on the last play by Winsby. For the Mainland by Marshall and Moscrop. Victoria thus winning by a score of nine to four. Following the teams:

Victoria—Lorimer, guard; Fletcher and B. Schwengers, backs; and Erskine, Whitehead, York and Winsby, forwards.

Mainland—Corp. Cunningham, guard; Sgt. Foster and Corp. Corbould, backs; Corp. Sperring, Bomb. Turnbull, Sgt. Moscrop and Bomb. Leamy, forwards.

In justice to the visitors it must be mentioned that the foregoing was a scratch team chosen from the members of the Second Battalion down for the big gun practice.

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THE PROSPECTS OF KOOTENAY.

The progress which Kootenay has made during the past season has exceeded the expectations of everyone. This splendid section of the province is going forward at a pace that will lead to surprising results in a very short time. As an illustration of the progress being made, it may be noted that the shipments of ore from Rossland for the week ending October 29 were 4,415 tons, against 1,425 in the corresponding week last year. Eleven mines were shipping ore out of Rossland on October 29, and their total shipments since the beginning of the year had reached 91,523 tons. If the present rate of output is continued until the end of the year, the total for 1898 will be 131,258 tons, against 72,843 tons in 1897. It would be difficult to satisfy the man who would not be content with such expansion as this. We have not at hand similar details from the other sections of Kootenay, but know that they would make an excellent showing.

The completion of the Crow's Nest Pass railway to Kootenay lake will inaugurate a great period of activity in East Kootenay, besides contributing very greatly to the prosperity of the western section. The season is said to have been a very successful one for prospectors, the number of finds being large and many of them being exceedingly promising. Much development work has been done on mines that have not yet entered the list of shippers, but will probably do so next year. We repeat that the progress of Kootenay during 1898 is such as surpasses all expectations, and gives promise of very remarkable strides in 1899.

THE ADVANCEMENT OF VICTORIA.

Any one, who is at all conversant with the history of this city, will agree with the statement that Victoria needs more self-reliance and co-operation among its citizens. This is not a poor city by any means. There is a very great deal of wealth here. It is as intelligent a community as can be found anywhere. It has a fine situation from a commercial point of view. It is the headquarters of a large business. Why does it not advance more rapidly? It is making progress, but it might do better. At least there seems to be perfect unanimity of sentiment among the people on that score.

Once a year Sir William Van Horne pays us a visit. Before he comes there is a good deal of talk about what he will be asked to do. When he comes he meets the Board of Trade, hears all our grievances, promises to take them into his consideration, and says good-bye. Sir William is an exceptionally diplomatic person. He gives no one an unwelcome answer. He has many subordinate officers, who bear the blame for everything that does not go just as the people of Victoria think it ought to.

Sir William is also a very busy man. He has immense interests in his charge. He receives a very many delegations of various kinds in a year. If in a moment of frankness he should confess that he did not toss to and fro upon his bed at night worrying out how he can help Victoria, the Colonist does not know that it would blame him for it. Just now the souls of some of our good people are yearning for a glimpse of the strong countenance of James J. Hill, of the Great Northern. If there is a man in the world who can say less in the same number of words than Sir William it is "Jim" Hill. Like the C. P. R. president, he is an excellent listener. He will let you tell him all you want to say, but he never tells you what you want to know. The Seattle people used to interview him on every possible occasion, and these were many. He would hear them with becoming patience, give some sort of Dolphie reply, and then gently hint that it would be a good plan if the Seattle people would try and do something to help themselves.

If the people of this city, instead of looking for some good fairy in the guise of a railway president to come across the mountains and shower down prosperity upon them, would get together and see what they can do themselves to help themselves, they would be surprised how much they would find they might accomplish. It is not necessary to make a great beginning. Co-operation in efforts to promote business prosperity acts just like a stone thrown into the water. The circles continue to widen steadily. We have no suggestion out and dried as to what the people should unite upon. The solution of the problem is not so easy that one can sit down at a desk and think it out in a quarter of an hour. Interchange of ideas is needed. It is very curious how few people only think part way to any conclusion. That is all that most of us do. That is why, when a number of intelligent people get together and thrash out a subject, a wise conclusion is usually reached. Each man thinks a part of the way to the best result. Twenty-five earnest determined men of business experience, if they would meet occasionally and consult together, could discover ways and means of giving Victoria such an impetus as it has not had in twenty-five years.

TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

Mr. Ian St. Clair sends the Colonist a letter dealing with technical education, and we print it this morning. His effort is a praiseworthy one. Undoubtedly the knowledge of a trade is of very great advantage to a young man. One of the great social evils of the last quarter of a century arises from the fact that a very large percentage of young men go out into the world without any special avocation. It does not follow that, because a youth learns to be a carpenter or a stone cutter, he must always work at those trades, but the fact that he is able to do so will often stand him in very good stead. Thousands of young men in Canada, if asked what they can do, will reply: "Anything," but if pressed to tell what they can do best will have to admit that they have not taken the trouble to learn anything thoroughly.

Among men there are not many who can compare with the skilled mechanic. The man, who can take raw material and with the use of tools fashion something that people want, possesses a capital that nothing can deprive him of. He is not likely long to lack employment. A college education is an excellent thing; but for the purposes of nine out of ten of the youth of the country, the knowledge of a trade is better. If the two can be combined, the combination is of course preferable to either alone. The rush to the professions is to be deprecated. A successful lawyer or physician is in an enviable position, but an unsuccessful man in either of those professions is about as unhappily placed as any one can be. His profession prevents him from doing things which he might readily do if he were an artisan, and this not because he would lose caste by doing them, but because it is absolutely essential, if a professional man expects to advance in his career, that he should not permit himself to become associated in the mind of the people with anything else than his profession, except it may be politics. The moment the public begin to think of a lawyer in connection with some other line of industry than the law, his chances of advancement begin to slip away. Ask any lawyer, who has engaged in journalism, and he will testify to the truth of this. It is the same with physicians. The younger members of these professions must work in very circumscribed limits. Unlike the young artisan, they cannot engage in something outside of the line of their business, while waiting for something in its line to develop.

We urge the boys of Victoria to seize upon any opportunity that may offer to acquire a technical education. It will certainly not hamper them in after life, and may prove immensely to their advantage, especially in a growing country like Canada.

THE RELIGION OF NEBUCHADNEZZAR.

Babylon was a great city twenty-three hundred years before Christ. It was built upon the site of a still more ancient city, and this upon the site of another. If we remember aright, there is reason to attribute an antiquity of at least 10,000 years to the most ancient tablets discovered in this remarkable series of ruins. The Babylon, of which sacred and profane history speak, is the newest of the cities, which, after an unequalled history for at least 3,000 years, fell into decay in the second century before the present era. This city was at the height of its grandeur in the time of Nebuchadnezzar, who reigned from 605 to 562 B.C., and made himself the emperor of Western Asia and Egypt. His greatest ambition was the beautification of his capital, which he made unapproachable in its splendor. He enclosed it by a wall 55 miles long, with a height of 340 feet and a thickness of 85 feet. Two hundred and fifty towers were reared upon the wall, which was pierced by no less than 100 gates. Concerning the magnificence of the palaces of Babylon and its so-called hanging gardens, its wonderful temples, adorned with statues of gold, and its great system of canals, we must refer readers to any of the numerous works on the subject. Herodotus mentions that at the time of his visit, which was in the century following the reign of Nebuchadnezzar, and after the wall had been destroyed, Babylon was a city with broad streets and houses of three and four stories.

This brief sketch shows that Nebuchadnezzar's capital was the seat of a civilization evolved through many more years than that which we enjoy to-day. It was the home of art and science. It had its schools of philosophers. Its domestic affairs were managed with consummate skill. What was the religion of its people? The question is not very easily answered. The learned men, who have deciphered the tablets found among the ruins, give us the names of many deities. For example, the greatest temple in the city is said to have been dedicated to Merodach, but Merodach can hardly be said to have been regarded as a divinity. The name is that of a family of kings, who reigned about two hundred years before Nebuchadnezzar, and it is hardly possible that so great a monarch as the latter would have worshipped his predecessors whom he surpassed in magnificence. It seems more probable that the relation which Merodach bore to the theology of Babylon was something like that of the saints to Christian theology, and that temples were erected in honor of the latter or great cathedrals are named after them. According to the narrative given in the Book of Daniel, Nebuchadnezzar had very different conceptions of religion to those that are commonly attributed to ancient nations. We find him telling Daniel: "I know that the spirit of the holy gods is in thee,"

and he closed his famous proclamation, given in the fourth chapter of Daniel, with an affirmation of his faith in the King of Heaven. There is reason for thinking that he was predisposed to accept the doctrine of a supreme deity, if indeed he did not hold it before he had received in his own person evidence that such a power existed. The chief god of the Babylonian people was called Sin, whose emblem was the moon, and who was regarded as superior even to the sun god. As the worship of the sun was purely materialistic, this recognition of a power superior to the orb of light indicates that the teachers of Babylon saw the spiritual side of man's relation to the universe. The latest discoveries identify the god Sin with the god An, and suggest that he is also probably identical with Jehovah. As was pointed out last Sunday in these columns, Abraham came out of the Kingdom of Babylon carrying with him the worship of Jehovah, whom Christendom worships to this day. It is quite probable that in Babylon thirty centuries before Christ, the people worshipped the same God as we do to-day, that is, they recognized the existence of a supreme spiritual head to the Universe. Possibly the masses of the people hardly appreciated the nature of their worship. Possibly they devised emblems to represent him. Doubtless they divided their worship with saints and demi-gods. And as human nature changes very little with the centuries, there is every likelihood that the ecclesiastics of that day built up a very elaborate system of creed and ceremonial. But the fact seems to be almost demonstrated that the foundation of the religion of Babylon was a belief in one supreme Deity. If we feel inclined to wonder at the manner in which it became perverted, we have only to attempt to think out how we would regard the nature of the Deity and our relations to Him, if it were not for the life and teachings of Christ.

Presumably, therefore, Nebuchadnezzar was not without instruction in the fundamental religion of his nation. Doubtless he conformed to all the superficial requirements of the rules laid down by the priests and soothsayers, just as men to-day conform to ceremonies which they regard as non-essential, or as others do from an inherited belief in their efficacy. But with it all he had a sense that there was something higher and grander than the perverted faith and elaborate ceremonial of the day, a belief in the "holy gods" of whom such men as Daniel taught. Nebuchadnezzar's conversion, as recorded in the chapter of Daniel above referred to, seems to have been simply a return to the original faith of his fathers.

The great interest and value which such studies as this have is that they show that the belief in one supreme God is no modern fable, that its origin must be sought in a past age so remote that that longest lead-line of history has not yet sounded its depth; and in that they illustrate how, upon the simple belief in a supreme deity, human ingenuity can build structures so vast and elaborate that they hide the foundation altogether, and how much the world owes to Christ. The doctrine of universal brotherhood, the right to individual freedom, the obligation to universal charity, the institution of home with all its mighty influence for the betterment of mankind, the belief in a God of love, which enables men and women to endure the trials of the present and face the uncertainties of the future without dread—these things we owe to the life and teachings of Christ. The belief in a supreme God is scores of centuries older. A study of the religion of Nebuchadnezzar makes us the better able to appreciate the value of Christianity to the human race.

Caesar begins his commentaries with the observation that "All Gaul is divided into three parts." The resemblance in this particular between that ancient country and the Grit party in British Columbia is evident to the most casual observer. That party is likewise divided into three parts, which are led respectively by Editor McLagan, Senator Templeman and Attorney-General Martin. An irreverent correspondent says that this division suggests the World, the Flesh and the Devil. Naturally Mr. McLagan suggests the World, and Senator Templeman a gentleman of good-sized physique. But where does the third partner come in?

An ingenious cipher has been discovered in connection with a recent bank robbery. Telegraphic messages were sent in plain words, but the first word was sent over the wire of one company and the next over the wire of another, the third over the first wire, the fourth over the second one, and so on. The party receiving them simply had to read first one word from one message and the next from the other to find out what was meant. Each message by itself was meaningless, and of course would defy any expert in deciphering.

A paragraph has already been printed about Major Marchand having offered the Khalifa three French flags, saying that if they were hoisted at Omdurman the British would not attack him. The Khalifa's reply was not wired to Victoria, but it is given in other despatches as being to the effect that three Christian dogs had been sent against him; that he had killed one, namely Gordon, was about to kill the other, that is Kitchener, and would proceed to kill the other, namely, Marchand. It is a pretty story, whether it is true or not.

The details of the accident at the Sunset No. 2 mine at Rossland, when William Cain and Patrick Nolan lost their lives from gas in the shaft, show George Drewry, a young fellow, who had been left in charge of the shaft, to be a hero of the finest type. Six times he braved

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the deadly gas to rescue the unfortunate men, and he did succeed in saving one man named Holt, who had descended with the others.

The effort of the Times to excuse the appointment of a Manitoba lawyer to the position of deputy attorney-general has the merit of saying all that can possibly be said in favor of such a performance, and that is that Mr. Martin proposes to revolutionize the department. He has certainly made a very revolutionary start.

Why does the News-Advertiser say that the opposition press desired to see the session of the legislature postponed until the latest possible day? The complaint of the opposition press has been that the house was not called together long ago. What descendant of Ananias and Sapphira has control of our esteemed contemporary's editorial column?

The word "fortuitous" caused some discussion in Victoria a few days ago. The Seattle Post-Intelligencer has managed to run up against it and got badly upset. It remarked the other day: "Good judgment is not always attended with fortuitous circumstances." Just what did the writer of that sentence think he was saying?

The Toronto Globe recently said that the Conservative papers had referred to Mr. Ogilvie as Mr. Sifton's "mule." The Ottawa Citizen explains that the word which the compositor set and the proof-reader passed as "mule" was "uncle." The Globe has lately had some execrably funny mistakes of this kind.

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Mrs. Patton will receive orders or pupils for hatterburg and point lace this week at 228 Fort street.

Copies of the 'cello solo played by Mr. E. M. Roehon in the Drill hall last evening for sale at Gideon Hicks & Co's, 122 Yates street. Best strings a specialty. Just received, a large shipment of the famous Mason & Risch pianos. Call and see them before they are all sold.

A New Theatre.—It is reported that Victoria will shortly have still another theatre, it being the intention to secure the Grimm building on Johnson street and expend about \$15,000 in altering it into a first class show house. As the building is a very large and well built one, there can be no doubt as to its adaptability to the proposed change.

The Last Rites.—The funeral of the late Miss Laura Mary Babington, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Babington, took place yesterday afternoon from the parents' residence and St. Barnabas church, the Rev. J. B. Hyslop officiating. There was a large attendance of sympathizing friends and numerous floral offerings. The pallbearers were: Messrs. F. Kermode, G. Fish, E. Kermode, W. B. Shakespeare, T. Kermode, and B. P. Shepherd.

Police Court Grind.—In the city police court yesterday the hearing of the two charges against Adolph Sleur was remanded until Monday, as was also that against George Atkinson, the boy charged with burglarizing Hibben's book store. The two boys arrested for removing gates on Halloween were convicted on two charges and fined \$2 and costs in each.

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The Ladies' Lodge.—The Daughters of Rebekah meet on Tuesday evening for drill.

Messrs. Fred and Percy Richardson will entertain you at Institute hall sale of work Thursday evening.

Civil Service Exams.—The Dominion civil service examinations will commence on Tuesday at the City hall. Rev. Dr. Campbell is the examiner.

Meeting Postponed.—The meeting of the board of directors of the Y.M.C.A. called for last evening has been postponed a week.

Supplementary Estimates.—At Monday evening's meeting of the council Ald. Bragg will ask leave to introduce a supplementary estimates by-law to deal with the revenue not already appropriated or expended.

Hear the Regina Mandolin Club at the sale of work at Institute hall next Wednesday evening.

Married.—Mr. Robert Mellbery and Miss Emma Smith were united in marriage by Rev. Percival Jenks at the residence of the bride's parents, No. 148 Johnson St., on Saturday evening. The bride was the recipient of numerous presents.

Don't forget the sale of work at Institute hall next Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

Wanted a Drink.—Yesterday afternoon Gaoler Mitten arrested David Irving and charged him with being in possession of stolen property to wit a quart bottle of whiskey. Irving visited the Commercial hotel yesterday, and asked for a glass of beer which was given him. After he left a bottle of whiskey was missed and when arrested it was found in his possession.

Naval Movements.—H. M. S. Leander so hurriedly ordered to return from Comox last Sunday and placed in the dock, came out yesterday morning, but her further movements are not yet known. The new crew of the Icarus have taken their station, but like the Leander, her future movements have not yet been made public. A lot of time expired men left for England on the Islander yesterday morning.

Mrs. Fred A. Cooper recites at Institute hall Wednesday evening.

Temperance Concert.—A fair attendance, considering the rainy evening, was present at the I. O. G. T. concert given in the Temperance hall last night. Dr. Lewis Hall presided, and the following very acceptable programme was rendered: Instrumental solo, Miss Miller; vocal solo, Miss King; club-swinging, Miss Graham; song, Rev. P. C. L. Harris; recitation, Miss Willmott; address, Rev. Ralph W. Trotter; duet, Messrs. Brown and Harris; instrumental selection, the Misses Miller; reading, Mrs. E. Hall; song, Mr. Brown.

The "Big Four" are at Institute hall Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

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Big Gun Drill.—The big gun drills at Rod Hill and Fort Macaulay yesterday proved most satisfactory. The squad from the Second battalion composed of men from the three Mainland companies did their firing from the Rod Hill fort, the target being a moving one, towed by a tug. In the afternoon the first battalion manned Fort Macaulay, the target being a moving target. The shooting was very good, there being a large per centage of hits. The officers of the battalion were in charge of the squads and the firing was done under the supervision of Major Trotter and the officers of the R. M. A.

Band Concert.—At the Drill hall the band gave their usual weekly concert last evening, which was well attended considering the weather. The extra attractions were Mr. James Pilling, vocal solo; Mr. E. M. Roehon, 'cello solo, and a basket ball match, Victoria vs. Vancouver. The latter was a well contested game, Victoria proving victorious by 9 points to 4. Mr. James Pilling sang "Only a Soldier's Sweetheart" very acceptably, and in response to a hearty encore rendered Bandmaster Finn's "Girls I have Met." Mr. Roehon's 'cello solo "Passe-Pied-Gillett" was well rendered and badly listened to, the beauty of the piece and the brilliance of execution of execution being nearly entirely lost, thanks to the talkative propensities of the majority of his hearers. Mr. Roehon plays well and develops good tone from his instrument. It is hoped that he will be heard again under more favorable circumstances.

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HE BANKS ON ATLIN.

A Victorian Who Takes a Very Favorable View of the District.

He Gives a Few Instances of What He Saw Done by Prospectors.

Fred. G. White, of this city, who came down on the City of Seattle, gives a very favorable account of the Atlin gold fields. He spent only a few days there, but he had men in the district and besides being connected with the V. Y. T. C. mills and stationed at Bennett, he had a good opportunity to know what was going on, as many men were continually going between the mills and the mines. Mr. White was more than satisfied with the outlook in Atlin. He saw two or three wash-ups while he was there, and all turned out well. One that he saw on Pine creek averaged \$25 to the man, and then they had only touched bedrock in a few places. He saw also several men working on benches and carrying the dirt down to the creek in sacks to wash, and all of these men said they could make \$25 a day at that. It must not be forgotten, Mr. White says, that up to the present the methods employed have been of the crudest kind. From what he saw he was satisfied that the gold is carried in the gravel from the very surface. While no extraordinarily rich paystreaks have been struck, yet whatever work has been done shows good pay dirt, and that the gold is evenly distributed. The men he had out told him that even on the mountain sides they could get good colors. Everybody in Skagway seemed to be going to the mines, and many claims were changing hands at good figures. On Wright's creek Mr. White made a trial of the prospects in which he is interested, and from ten pans of loose gravel he panned out he got an average of 35 cents to the pan. The district is a very large one, and is hardly touched yet. Not only have Pine creek and the main tributaries of Spruce creek proved rich, but several creeks in the early part of the season have been worked with good success. Late discoveries have been made over the summit to the southwest. Wherever development work has been done, good success has been met with, and a great deal more work would have been accomplished had it not been for a cold snap in the early part of September, which caused many men to come out, thinking that winter had set in. The alarm, however, turned out to be a false one, for the few men who remained were able to get in six weeks' more work, and that at the very best part of the season, when the water was low. Mr. White left Atlin on October 20, and work was still going on, there being neither snow nor ice. One very favorable condition in the creeks is the absence of large boulders.

MANUAL TRAINING.

Mr. Tomlinson Tells the Teachers How Pupils Are Educated in English Schools.

The teachers of the city schools were on hand promptly yesterday morning for the regular Saturday classes in the High school laboratory. The first half-hour was taken by City Superintendent Eaton with a paper in which, principally the arguments which had been offered in support of grading examinations were reviewed. The second half was very profitably occupied with an address by Mr. Arthur Tomlinson, until recently teacher of manual training in the public schools of Manchester, England. Mr. Tomlinson has been thoroughly trained in his department, and was able to speak not only from the point of view of an enthusiastic believer in manual training, but also from that of an experienced teacher. Incidentally he gave considerable general information respecting the subject of a paper and address of English public schools and of the manual training in England. His remarks on the special subject of his address were in effect as follows: Many people think manual training and technical education are one and the same. This is a mistake. The technical schools in England; these are intended to teach specific trades, and to fit boys directly for various mechanical and industrial pursuits. On the other hand, manual training is an essential part of the curriculum of the elementary board schools of England. In the first or lower standard, children are taught brush drawing, beginning with very simple forms and leading up to symmetrical designs. Then follows clay modelling, which occupies from one to two years. The child begins with modelling familiar objects, as fruit and vegetables, and sometimes carries his work forward to the making of plaster casts. The next stage is card-board modelling; pupils are furnished with suitable card-board and a knife, and the models are made according to set designs, by cutting, scoring and folding the boards. The simplest regular solids, cubes, etc., are among the first exercises. The highest stage is reached in wood-working for the upper standard boys. In all the other stages the regular teacher teaches the subject, but for the wood-working a special teacher is needed. In a city with a number of schools, a central station is selected and a class-room equipped with benches and tools for the instruction of 20 boys at a time. One lesson a week is given, lasting two to three hours, or half a school day. Thus one teacher can teach 200 pupils in the week. The boys, after learning to use the tools, are required to make various models, having first drawn the designs. The board furnishes all the implements and materials required in the whole course. The girls take cookery, while the boys take wood-working. It is found that the influence of this sort of training is beneficial in a number of ways. The average attendance is increased owing to the interlarding branch of the children in this particular branch of study, and the progress in other studies is stimulated rather than hindered by the relief afforded from the monotony of continuous book-work.

Mr. Pincus's class on botany was held at the usual hour.
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The increased interest taken in the Hawaiian islands since they have been transformed into part of the United States has brought about the idea that an excursion to these picturesque islands from Victoria would be gladly welcomed by the many people who desire a delightful trip. It is to satisfy this demand that the Daily Colonist excursion to the Hawaiian islands has been organized. The steamer Garonne, one of the finest vessels on the Pacific, has been secured and sails from Victoria on November 14 and a most attractive programme has been arranged for the visit to the islands including three days at Hilo with a trip to Kilauea, the famous volcano, a delightful cruise among the islands and other delightful features. As may be seen from the particulars in another column the fare is very moderate and those who desire it can have their tickets extended. Just at the present season of the year the trip is additionally attractive, taking one as it does back into the midst of summer and the balmy breezes of the dreamy Pacific isles.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL SYNOD.

Resolves to Have Services Commemorating Twenty-fifth Year of the Church's Existence.

A quarter-century of existence will be completed by the Reformed Episcopal church on December 2. The synod which assembled recently in Philadelphia recommended that commemorative services should be held in all the churches and that a thanks offering should be taken, to be applied to the endowment of the Bassinger Home for Aged and Infirm Ministers and Their Wives. This institution, which was presented to the church by Dr. Bassinger three or four years ago, is located at Murray Hill, N.Y.

The missionary work of the church is reported as being in a very flourishing condition. There is no debt on the board, and missionaries are supported in China, India and Armenia.

THE AORANGI'S DELAY.

Capt. Hepworth Replies to Dr. Watt's Statement of the Cause.

A letter has been received by the Colonist from Capt. Campbell Hepworth, R. N. R., of the steamer Aorangi, in answer to Dr. Watt's statement that the steamer could not have gone close enough to the quarantine station on Thursday morning to be seen. Capt. Hepworth says:

"In reading Dr. Watt's explanation in the columns of your valuable paper this morning, I notice he states that the Aorangi could not have been very close to the quarantine station, as the pilots who were waiting there for her did not see her. As a matter of fact, I took the Aorangi into Barry Bay and anchored less than half a mile from the wharf, in nine fathoms of water, at 1:15 a.m., not 2:15, as stated, and blew the whistle repeatedly, making a noise that should have been heard many miles distant. Previous to entering the bay, I had blown the whistle many times, and exhibited three blue lights at intervals. I should feel obliged if you will kindly publish this letter. Yours faithfully, CAMPBELL HEPWORTH, Commanding SS. Aorangi."

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Baked Plounder, au Gratin.
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Lobster Mayonnaise. Sliced Beets.
Lamb's Tongue. Sauce, Hollandaise.
ENTREES.
Eastern Oysters on half shell.
Spring Chicken à la Maryland.
Welsh Rabbit on toast.
Apple Fritters, Sherry Sauce.
ROASTS.
Young Turkey, stuffed. Cranberry Sauce.
Prime Ribs of Beef au Jus.
Leg Mutton. Browned Sweet Potatoes.
VEGETABLES.
Cauliflower. Stewed Tomatoes.
Boiled and Mashed Potatoes.
DESSERT.
Fig Bunting. Brandy Sauce.
Pine Apple. Lemon, Cranberry Pie.
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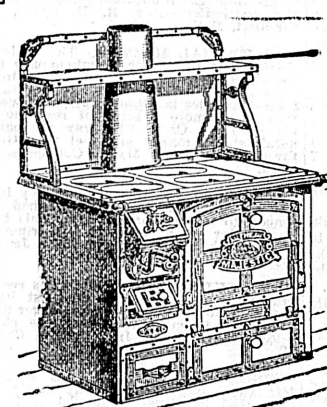
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Children's Service This Afternoon
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nouncements for To-day.

The preacher this morning at Christ
Church cathedral is Rev. Canon Beau-
land and he will also occupy the pulpit
in the evening the following being the
music for the day.

MATINS.
Voluntary—Andante in A.....D. Hopkins
Venite
Psalms for the day:
BenedictusDr. Woodward
Hymns35, 208, 317
KyrieDr. Bridgewater
Voluntary—PreglindaBart
EVENSING.
Voluntary—Andante Cantabile.....E. Boggett
Pro. Hymn297
Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis.....Clare
Hymns208, 202, 255, 439
The choir will sing the following at
St. John's church there will be
morning prayer at 11 followed by a cele-
bration of the holy communion, and
evensing at 6. The rector, the Rev.
Percival Jennis, will occupy the pulpit at
both services. On Tuesday evening the
8 o'clock service will be special
evensing. The musical arrangements
for to-day are as follows:

MORNING.
Organ—Communion in B Flat.....Crosley
Hymns45, 35 and 321
EVENSING.
Organ—CalvaryRodney
Hymns17, 161 and 23
Organ—"Lift Up Your Heads".....Handel

The services at St. Barnabas church
are holy eucharist, 8 a.m.; matins, 10:30;
choral eucharist (Adrian in F), 11 a.m.;
Sunday school, 3 p.m.; matins, 7 p.m.;
choral eucharist, 7 p.m., the following be-
ing the music: Hymns 270-538-269;
processional hymn, with organ accompani-
ment; organ voluntary sonata; the
preacher will be the rector, Rev. J. B.
Haslam.

Rev. W. D. Barber, the rector, preaches
at each service at St. Saviour's
church, where the arrangements to-day
are: Morning prayer and holy commu-
nion at 11 a.m.; children's service at 3
p.m., and evening prayer at 7 p.m.

The sermon to the Orange Association
by the Pastor, Rev. J. C. Speer, will be
the feature at Metropolitan Methodist
church at 11 a.m.; at 2:30 p.m. Sunday
school and Bible class gather and at 7
p.m. the pastor continues his series on
the cities of the Bible, "Sodom" being
the subject.

The pastor, Rev. W. H. Barraclough,
will preach both morning and evening in
the Centennial Methodist church and the
sacrament of the Lord's supper will be
administered after the evening service.

Mr. A. Lee will speak at the Herald
street mission hall at 8:30 p.m.
The Sabbath services at James Bay
Methodist church will be conducted by
the pastor, Rev. Geo. F. Swinnerton,
and in the evening the pastor commences
a series of sermons illustrated with
stereoscopic views. The course will be
on the second part of the Pilgrim's Pro-
gress.

The services for St. Paul's Presby-
terian church are at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.,
with dispensation of the Lord's Supper
at the morning service.

At St. Andrew's Presbyterian church
Rev. A. B. Winchester will preach in
the morning and Rev. P. C. L. Harris
in the evening.

Rev. P. C. L. Harris preaches in the
morning at the First Presbyterian church
and in the evening Rev. R. W.
Trotter will preach at Calvary Baptist
church, and his evening subject will be
"The Burning Fire Furnace." The
B. Y. P. U. social will be held on Mon-
day evening, when Miss Trotter will
sing.

Rev. H. H. Saunders preaches morning
and evening at Emmanuel Baptist
church. Morning subject, "Your Salva-
tion"; evening, "Christian Individuality."
Special missionary service at 2:30 in the
Sabbath school.

Bishop Cridge will preach in the
morning at the Reformed Episcopal church,
and Dr. Wilson in the evening
will preach at St. Paul's church to the
church, "The Single Taxer's View."

The usual Sunday evening lecture will
be given in Universal Brotherhood
Lodge, 28 Broad street, at 8:15; sub-
ject, "Symbolism."

Friends, commonly known as Quakers,
hold meetings every Sunday morning at
11 o'clock in the parlor of the Y. M. C. A.
rooms. "The public worship and
why they believe in waiting upon the
Lord in silence" will be read at the
opening by a member. All welcome;
no collection.

At the "Home of Truth," 71 Discovery
street, there are services at 11 a.m. and
7:30 p.m. The subject of the morning
address is "True prosperity and how to
find it."

Catholic Apostolic church, Fernwood
road, near Odd Fellows' Hall—Service
on the evening of 7 o'clock; subject of
sermon, "The great tribulation and the
way of escape therefrom." All Christian
people welcome.

Postponed.—Columbia Lodge No. 2, I.
O. O. F., had intended holding a parlor
social next Wednesday evening, after
a regular lodge business had been dis-
posed of, but the committee having
charge of the affair found themselves
unable to perfect arrangements in the
short time at their disposal, and there-
fore concluded to postpone the proposed
entertainment for one week.

THOSE TIRED KIDNEYS.
Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills help
tired kidneys to do what they must do
if you are to be a healthy man or woman.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.

The fa-
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signature
of Dr. H. Fletcher
is on every
wrapper.

RELIGIOUS THOUGHT.

Gems of Truth Gleaned from the Teachings
of All Denominations.

MAN—Religion believes in man as the
child of infinite possibilities, born to an
endless destiny. —L. C. Jenkins, L. Jones,
Unionist, Chicago, Ill.

WAR—If war is always wrong, then the
instincts in human nature need revolution-
izing. —Rev. Lyman Abbott, Congrega-
tionalist, Brooklyn, N. Y.

CHANGES—The virtue of one generation
becomes a vice to generations after. Hu-
manity sweeps onward. —Rev. W. H. Pink-
ham, Baptist, Denver, Colo.

THE WORLD'S TEACHERS—Great
evils are more than great men are the
world's teachers. —Rev. Dr. Crowe, Con-
gregationalist, New York City.

YOUR GOD—Have you a God? Then
what is he to you? Do you know him?
Have you tried to know his will? —Dev. J.
B. Nies, Episcopalian, Brooklyn, N. Y.

GOD'S POWER—God's power and will
are above armies and navies, and on him
depend all our armies and navies. —
Archbishop Ireland, Catholic, Chicago, Ill.

PREPARATIONS FOR HEAVEN—To
prepare for heaven should be our concern.
This is only by faith and holy living. —Rev.
Taylor, Presbyterian, San Bernardino, Cal.

SPIRITUALISM—Spiritualism is not
wrong, for Jesus taught it, the disciples
preached it, St. Paul wrote of it and gave
it his sanction. —Dr. Astor, Spiritualist, San
Bernardino, Cal.

CONSCIOUSNESS—To walk humbly with
God involves the consciousness of a definite
relationship between the divine spirit and
the human. —Rev. Lester Bradner, Jr., Epis-
copalian, New York City.

THE MASTER—Jesus Christ becomes
the moral master of the world by the ex-
ample of his life and by the self-sacrifice
of his blood. —Dr. J. C. Spier, Methodist,
Bristol, Washington, D. C.

COURAGE—One of the great results of
this last summer—a summer in which our
country has discovered itself—is the find-
ing that courage has not died out of the
world. —Dr. Fawcett, Baptist, New York City.

LIVING FOR OTHERS—The people who
win the world's love and lasting remem-
brance are the ones who utterly forget
themselves, and live for others. —Rev. Mr.
Fisher, Methodist, San Bernardino, Cal.

CHRIST—Christ came as a picture of
peace, but because he encountered the es-
tablished religion, the prejudice and vice
of his time, the immediate effect was strife
and contention. —Rev. R. E. Sykes, Uni-
versalist, Denver, Colo.

NO TRIVIAL MATTER—The taking of
God's name lightly or blasphemously is no
trivial matter. The mechanical running of
oaths and affidavits in our courts and
by our notaries is rather adapted to weaken
than to promote a sense of reverence for
the name of God. The way the oath is
administered makes one feel that God is
far off. —Rev. A. B. Myers, Collegiate, New
York.

TO-DAY—There was never a day in the
history of the church when it had more
reason to rejoice than to-day. This is our
day—a day when the Lord has triumphed.
His name has been glorified. —Rev. Johnston
Myers, Baptist, Chicago, Ill.

THE CHURCH—Once more has come an
era when the millstone has been cast
thrusting for the church. No longer do
the multitude through and crowd the church.
—Rev. N. D. Hillis, Independent, Chicago, Ill.

VISIONS—The lives of men who have
left their imprint upon the world show
that God has ever used visions for dis-
turbance contentment; vision that inspires
aspirations and provoke progress. —Rev. J.
F. Carson, Presbyterian, Brooklyn, N. Y.

A LIVING BOOK—To the Universalist
Church the Bible is a living book. The
church honors it, learns of it, draws from
it, and uses the way to God by means of it,
and it tends to advance souls in the way of
life. —Rev. W. W. Whipple, Universalist,
Santon, Pa.

GOD'S SELECTION—God selected the
Jews to give the world a religion, the Ro-
mans to give the world laws, the Greeks
to show the world the beauty in art and
literature, and he has chosen the Anglo-
Saxons to give the world liberty. —Rev. J.
Robert McIntyre, Methodist, Chicago, Ill.

OUR TRUST—Our trust is in the Lord.
In his first statement we have the whole
based doctrine of the watchman, the
God. Some people confess that doubtless
God does care for the nations, and possi-
bly he does watch over a nation, but they
do not. —Rev. Mr. Winslow, Methodist, Chey-
enne, Wyo.

THE GUIDANCE OF GOD—Two things
were marked in this struggle; two things
were the old Norse blood of the conquering
Anglo-Saxon, and the finger of the God of
the universe. It is, indeed, the gift of
the race, and above all I believe in the
guidance of God. This being so, I hold
here the great moral lesson in the
enthusiasm of our wondrous victories—
great and far-reaching meanings. —Rev.
John D. McIntosh, Philadelphia, Pa.

BIBLE STUDY—Bible study is of the
highest importance, from the standpoint
of intellectual culture, from the standpoint
of holy and happy living, from the stand-
point of successful achievement for
Christ. Neglect the Bible and you will
miss everything that makes life worth
living and eternally glorious. —Rev. R. A.
Torrey, Presbyterian, Chicago, Ill.

THE DIVINE HAND—In this hour of
supreme triumph for the American people
and the great South, let us draw from
that help cometh from the Lord, who made
heaven and earth. The glories of the army
and the navy are doubtless due to the
divine hand, and our gratitude should be
manifested to him who is ever on the side
of Christianity and civilization. —Rev. E. G.
Ray, Chicago, Ill.

GOD'S HELP—What has been accom-
plished has amazed and almost dazed the
world. The whole movement seems to
indicate that the nation is performing a part
in some great moral purpose, and that
through this war the United States is to
be the world's great uplift in the cause
of liberty and righteousness. Through this
country, and from this severe experience, it
may be that this people who are so dark-
ened shall see a great light. —Rev. T. B. Neely,
Methodist, Philadelphia, Pa.

FAITH—Faith exercised in believing, and
though results, to human view, seem impos-
sible, yet with God all things are possible.
Faith includes action of obedience, trust,
and all result in God. The commands
of God to be holy, to be perfect, to love him
with all the heart, are just as binding upon
his followers as any portion of the
decalogue. Faith is, indeed, the gift of
God, just as strength, which can be in-
creased by exercise, is the gift of God. —
Rev. A. C. Moorehouse, Methodist, New
York City.

RECOGNITION OF GOD—The war has
faced the sterling manhood of this na-
tion. The courage, patience and self-sac-
rifice of soldiers and sailors make a story
of glory for humanity. So long as this nation
recognizes God in human affairs, the future
is assured. Never need we fear that any
territorial extension will mean weakness
or intolerable burdens so long as this
thrust animates those who occupy the
White House and their advisers, and
leave America of land and sea. —Rev. H.
Pereira Mendes, New York.

YOU SHOULD KNOW
What Hood's Sarsaparilla has power to
do for those who have impure and impover-
ished blood. It makes the blood rich,
cleanses the system, cures scrofula, salt rheum,
dyspepsia, catarrh, rheumatism, nervousness,
and all the ailments that arise from impure
blood. If you are troubled with any ailment
caused or promoted by impure blood, take
Hood's Sarsaparilla at once.

Hood's Pills are prompt and efficient,
easy to take, easy to operate.

IN AID OF MRS. KINSEY.

Subscriptions Received Yesterday—Lists
Opened at the Fire Halls.

The appeal for aid for Mrs. Kinsey,
widow of the late Thomas B. Kinsey,
who was left with five small children un-
provided for, is being heartily responded to.
Yesterday Mr. Frank Hinds, a former
member of the fire department, took
a list around to ex-members of the de-
partment and other citizens and secured
\$47.50; lists were opened at the fire
halls, where \$82.25 was subscribed; while
\$13 was received at the Colonist office.
The lists of subscribers follow:

Colonist Office.
Previously acknowledged\$ 6.00
Mrs. P. O'Reilly 5.00
P. R. Brown 1.00
A. Friend 1.00
Collected by F. Hinds and Time Office.
Frank Hinds 5.00
George Ledingham 5.00
Robert Ledingham 5.00
James Hay 5.00
P. W. Dempster 5.00
George Watson 1.00
Harry Murray 2.50
John W. Elliott 2.00
T. McNell 2.00
H. McCabe 1.00
Ell Hume 1.00
Antonio Serantils 1.00
W. H. McKeown 1.00
W. Templeman 5.00

No. 1 Fire Hall.
Sylvester Feed Co. 5.00
H. D. Holmchen 10.00
F. M. Y. 5.00
H. M. Y. 1.00
Chas. B. Jones 2.50

No. 2 Fire Hall.
The Manhattan\$ 5.00
J. C. Voss 5.00
H. P. Cole 5.00
H. Siebenbaum 5.00
S. O'Brien 5.00
M. Powers 5.00
Stephen Jones 5.00
R. J. Johnson 5.00
C. R. Le Lestre (Shoe saloon) 5.00
Prof. R. Foster (Tall) 5.00
W. H. Shewan 5.00
L. Redn 2.50
W. H. Shewan 1.00
Fox & Plummer 1.00
J. McDonald25
J. McDonald25
Tentonia 1.00
L. Thiele 1.00

No. 3 Fire Hall.
H. D. M.\$ 5.00
Francis Curran 1.00

THE VAN ANDA MINE.
A Five Drill Compressor Plant Will
Be Working By New Year.

The news from the famous Van Anda
mine at Texada continues very encourag-
ing. A five drill compressor plant and
hoist has been ordered and will be in-
stalled at the mine and working by New
Year's Day, when the output will be in-
creased to 1,000 tons per month. Mr.
W. Pellew Harvey has just returned
from the island, where he was sorting
and assaying Van Anda ore and purchas-
ing it for shipment to Vivian's works
at Swansea. The shipments are being
made by salmon ships now loading for
England. The shaft of the Van Anda is
down over 230 feet and a drift is being
run at that level. There is solid ore at
the bottom of the shaft and seven feet
of ore in the face of the drift. At that
depth the assays occasionally run very
high, as for instance copper 12 per cent,
silver 9½ ounces; gold \$38.50 or a total
value of \$702.21. One assay last week
showed \$66,000 in silver and boronite
ore assays over 57 per cent in copper
and 17.05 ounces silver.

The Van Anda group covers 800 acres,
comprising some 15 different ledges, and
during the past month a strong force of
men have been at work uncovering the
Cermal ledge, which is borne over 6
feet wide and gives returns in gold, sil-
ver and copper of \$50. A correspondent
writing from there says: "The ledge is
good for some eyes, the ore body is im-
mense and is well situated for being
worked economically and no other ore
from Texada is its peer."

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY.
The annual Meeting and Election of
Officers—Will Dine at the Driand.

St. Andrew's and Caledonia Society
had a very enthusiastic meeting on Fri-
day evening which showed that the in-
terest the members have always evinced
in their society has not fallen away. The
annual dinner on November 30, St. An-
drew's Day, will be held at the Driand
and the following are the new officers
elected:

President, H. Dallas Helmecken, M.P.
P. (re-elected); first vice-president, E. C.
Smith; second vice-president, J. H. Fal-
coner; secretary, Thomas Russell; treasur-
er, J. R. Carmichael; chaplains, Rev.
Dr. Campbell and Rev. W. Leslie Clay;
physician, Dr. R. L. Fraser; bard, Jas.
Deans; pipers, W. A. Anderson and
Master J. McKenzie; warden, Geo.
Webb; installing officer, Rev. Dr. Camp-
bell; directors, J. Earsman, J. Robert-
son, Senator Templeman, Capt. John
Irving, J. Hogarth, James Deans and
A. Tolmie.

Mr. McKee's thanks were passed to Mr. E.
M. McKee for the handsome way he had
engrossed and illuminated the address of
the society to present to the Gordon
Highlanders and it was decided also to
present an address to Col. McDonald,
of Omdurman fame.

The society passed a vote of sympathy
with the chaplain, Rev. W. Leslie Clay,
for the bereavement that has recently be-
fallen him.

For Constipation take Karl's Clover Root
Pill, the great Blood Purifier. Cures Head-
ache, Biliousness, Eruptions on the face
and makes the bowels clear as a bell. Sold
by Cyrus H. Rowan.

New Yukon Officials. — Postmaster
Markham has probably by this time taken
charge of the Dawson office, he hav-
ing been met about half way down the
river by the men who returned on Friday
from Dawson. Mr. Senkler, the new
gold commissioner, and the officials who
accompanied him, left Skagway a week
ago Friday. They had made arrange-
ments to go part way down the river by
steamer, completing the trip on a scow.

A China Wedding.—Mr. and Mrs. W.
H. Bone celebrated the twentieth anni-
versary of their married life last even-
ing. A number of friends gathered at
their comfortable home on Topaz avenue
and passed the evening very pleasantly.

A Narrow Escape.—When the steamer
Danube was at Rivers Inlet on her way
from the North Capt. Moyers had a
very narrow escape from drowning. He
was boarding the vessel, when some of
the deck hands pulled the gang plank
from under his feet and he fell between
the steamer and the wharf. Fortunately
he struck neither the wharf nor the side
of the steamer and upon reaching the
water struck out for a pile to which he
clung until a boat could be lowered. A
few hours later he was on the bridge
again taking the Danube across Queen
Charlotte sound in a gale of wind. His
escape was the more miraculous on ac-
count of the darkness of the night.

THE CONFESSIONAL.

Its Ethics Discussed by the Archbishop
of Canterbury—A Voluntary Rite.

The Archbishop of Canterbury, in the
course of his annual visitation recently,
delivered a charge in Ashford parish
church (England), in which he discussed
confession and the right practice of it
in the English church.

The discipline of the church in the
theology before the Reformation said,
mainly depended on the confessional,
and the use of the confessional was en-
forced by the refusal of holy communion
to those who had not made confession
to a priest. After tracing the history
of the confessional and outlining the
objection to it that have arisen, the
primate continued:

"If anyone wishes to confess, the per-
mission to do so is acknowledged in the
Prayer Book, and if the need of it be
strongly felt, not only acknowledged,
but encouraged. Every man who comes
to holy communion is bound to do so
in peace with his own conscience, and if he
be perplexed, and cannot find the peace
which is required, he is encouraged to
come to God's minister for advice.

Sometimes a man who has wronged his
neighbor does not see how he is to set
the wrong right, sometimes a man who
has been fighting with a besetting sin,
and fighting unsuccessfully, wants ad-
vice in the conduct of his battle; some-
times a man is troubled with an uneasy
feeling that all is not right with him,
but he hardly knows in what the wrong
consists. In such cases as these the
man is encouraged to come to God's min-
ister to be told what to do, and, if he
needs it, to be assured, as far as man
can assure him, that God forgives his
sin.

"This assurance is like the decision of
an inferior court. It may be overruled
in the court above, but nevertheless it is
of value as far as it goes, and the man
may trust it and act upon it for the
present emergency. The same general
rule applies to the case of a man in seri-
ous sickness. He is to be exhorted—if
he feels his conscience troubled with
any weighty matter—to make a special
confession of his sins, and absolution is
ordered to be pronounced if he shall
heartily and humbly desire it. In this
case, as in the other, the confession is
made to depend on the conscience being
troubled.

"The initiative is with the man him-
self. He is to confess if he is troubled,
and to receive absolution if he feels the
need of it. It is obvious that a con-
fession voluntarily made under pressure
of perplexity and trouble is a very differ-
ent thing from a confession as a regular
part of the service. But this is not the only
distinction between the English church
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To the Editor.

UNSETTLED FRANCE.

Sir: Nowhere in the family of nations has there been a power with a more eventful history than that of France. Continually so far as our country is concerned, we hear that France has done, or is about to do, something that will affect our interests; and even when we are assured that the French government has come to the conclusion that the occupation of Fashoda is of no sort of value. Yet he observed, it is not to be understood that all causes of controversy are removed. Indeed, it seems to be a very generally expressed opinion that these continued attempts to thwart and annoy our country will never be set to rest until it has provoked Great Britain to declare war against her. France lives upon excitement, and failing to have found satisfaction in the previous quarrel, she seeks relief in quarrelling with England about Fashoda. In the past she has tried many experiments in provocations from monarchs to that of a republic, and as the result at present time seems to have no government, at the nearest approach to it being that from the influence of the army, her noisy deputies and the newspaper press, that of the President being a mere nominality. Eventually a republic with the temptations afforded by frequent change by a responsible ministry will be found. At no distant time we may expect to hear the cry of "Vive, Vive," either for monarchy, republicanism, or some new change of government.

W. K. B.

OUR FIREMEN.

Sir: The sad death of Fireman T. D. King, the spectacle directed by Captain Brophy, of Boston, delivered at the recent convention of the Massachusetts State Firemen's Association. He said: "The fireman who contracts a wasting disease in the performance of his duties, and dies, perhaps in the prime of life, his friends and relatives are unknown to all but his comrades and few friends, is as much a hero as though he were crushed beneath the burning walls or carried down and consumed in the relentless flames. The veteran fireman who has fought his hundreds of battles with the flames in summer's heat and winter's cold, and the constant strain on the once iron constitution wastes him that physical disability will compel him to retire, is no less a hero than those who fell in the flames. The fireman must make their way through smoke and gas, and in the way they are compelled to fall back gasping for pure air, while their places are taken by others, each in turn forcing his way into the further interior, until the flames driven out by a sudden outburst of the flames, in the cellar or subterranean ventilation is impossible, as the flames have but a single entrance, and if they had more they would not be sufficient. Down into these miniature hells go the firemen to seek and conquer the smouldering flames as they cannot be reached in any other way. Cutting holes in the floors above, and directing streams through them, or treating a duck to a showerbath, or shooting at a target with one's eyes shut. Can human beings, being subjected to such a life? Surely not! And will not the poison inhaled permeate the entire system in time? Surely yes!"

Captain Brophy then described the quickness with which the firemen, aided by all the most recent inventions and appliances, are able to reach the fire, how they leaped, half-clad, out of beds on to the apparatus, and were driven out to the great detriment of their health. In the bitter cold of winter, to finish their toilet on the way. On arriving at the fire, they have to have to withstand the intense heat within the building for hours, and later, with clothing water-soaked, be obliged to withstand the bitter winter wind that blows the very marrow in the bone. This with hours spent in wet clothing at all seasons of the year, or standing on ladders sixty or seventy feet from the ground, a foothold which is almost impossible to obtain, owing to the formation of ice over the fire surface. Surely these things are not conducive to health and strength, and do they add years to the lives of these men? Added to all this is the danger from falling roofs, falling and burning, and the den collapse of buildings where lives are crushed out, or men maimed for life. Is there any more hazardous than this? or one deserving of more liberal compensation? Surely not! The soldier cannot receive any money compensation that will indemnify him for the risk he runs; neither can the fireman. A grateful country spends millions for pensions for those who have been maimed in the line of duty, and none would deny it to them or their dependents. And why should not the same treatment be given to those men who risk as much in the defence of the homes and lives of members of the community as the soldier does? Yet, said to say, no scant provision has been made to smooth the pathway of the veteran fireman during the best years of his life (the physical disability which has compelled his retirement during the closing years of his life, broken down in health and unaided, in many cases, in time when those engaged in other callings are in the prime of manhood, to follow any other occupation.

THOMAS DEASY.

TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

Sir: The Trades and Labor Council have expressed their willingness to assist in the establishing of a Technical Institute here. I intend to take full advantage of this offer, and with that purpose in view, please allow me to state my case. First, there are not enough vacancies for beginners in the trades here to enable those who wish to go in for a handicraft to take it up in the regular manner; second, the right boy for a certain trade is often compelled to go far for an education, as the long time of apprenticeship and the very low rate of pay are not in keeping with his circumstances; third, a great deal of the time paid in as an apprentice merely goes to pay his master for instruction, therefore if an apprentice pays cash to learn a trade, he is not in a position to do so; fourth, the plan of establishing a Technical Institute here is as follows: The master makes the boy, and the boy, in turn, makes the master, and the other trades represented here will be taught in the workshops of the city, either full time or part time, and the boy will be charged. Several of the masters have agreed to teach on these terms, and with doubt others will do so. By this means boys who are working at anything as messengers and clerks, will be enabled to learn a good trade, and make years of course, and may not be as thorough as the old system; all that can be said of the plan is that it is the only one here. To take it up, the ability of a handicraftsman depends upon his own attentiveness, and I dare say, there are many successful ones who do not learn their trade in the regular manner. Fifth, when a man has a trade he will hunt further for work, and to better advantage. The workmen who are at present forced out of employment by the robust lads in irregular work will have a chance to take their places. Elderly applicants will please address to the secretary, Y.M.C.A., and soon, so that organization can be proceeded with. Small boys will be enrolled, and applicants must be old enough and sensible enough to take proper advantage of their opportunities.

I. ST. CLAIR.

FOR READY REFERENCE.

Steamer and Railway Time Tables, Fire Alarm and Letter Boxes, etc.

For convenient reference the following information in regard to the time tables of steamers and trains and on postal and other matters relating to the city will be found useful. The information is given as concisely as possible for the benefit of the busy public:

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER ROUTE.
Steamer Islander leaves C.P.N. wharf daily (except Monday) at 1 a.m. for Vancouver, and arrives at Victoria at 7 a.m. daily (except Monday).

VICTORIA-WESTMINSTER ROUTE.
Steamer Princess Louise leaves C.P.N. wharf, Victoria, for Westminster and Fraser river boats on Sunday at 11 a.m. and on Wednesday and Friday at 7 a.m.; arrives at Victoria on Monday at 9 p.m. and on Thursday and Saturday at 3 p.m.

FOR PUGET SOUND.

Steamer City of Kingston leaves Victoria for Seattle on C.P.N. wharf daily (except Sunday) at 8 a.m. and arrives daily (except Sunday) at 6 a.m.

FOR PORT ANGELES.

Steamer Garland leaves Turner, Beeton & Co.'s wharf on Monday and Wednesday & Co.'s wharf on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 5 p.m., and arrives at Victoria on Saturday and Wednesday at 8 p.m.

VICTORIA-COMOX ROUTE.

Steamer City of Nanaimo leaves the E. & N. wharf on Tuesday at 7 a.m. for Comox, connecting at Nanaimo on Wednesday morning with the train for Victoria. She arrives at Victoria on Saturday at 4 p.m.

NORTHERN B. C. ROUTE.

Steamer Danube leaves C.P.N. wharf, Victoria, for all Northern British Columbia ports and Skagway, Wrangell and Juneau on the 1st and 15th of each month at 8 p.m.

Steamer Queen City leaves C.P.N. wharf on same route on the 8th and 22nd of each month at 8 p.m.

Steamer Cutch leaves Porter's wharf, Victoria, for Port Simpson and other ports on the 4th and 18th of each month.

WEST COAST VANCOUVER ISLAND.
Steamer Willapa leaves C.P.N. wharf for Abouset, Alberni and way ports at 8 p.m. on November 1st, 7th and 14th; and for Alberni, Cap Scott and way ports at 8 p.m. on October 20th.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

For Nanaimo, Wellington and Intermediate points, trains leave E. & N. station, Store street, daily at 9 a.m., and arrive at Victoria at 12:07 p.m. An additional train leaves Victoria Saturdays and Sundays at 4 p.m., and arrives at Victoria at 8 p.m.

Public Library.—The hours at the public library at the city hall are 11 a.m. to 12 p.m., 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., and 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.; Saturdays, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Provincial Departments.—Office hours for the public at the departments in the parliament buildings are from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and from 1:30 p.m. to 4 p.m., except Saturdays, when they close at 1 p.m.

Court House.—Registrar's office is open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., except Saturdays, when it closes at 1 p.m.

The Land Registry office opens at 9:30 a.m., the closing hour being 4 p.m., except on Saturdays, when it is 1 p.m.

Federal Offices.—The customs house and postal package office are open to the public from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., except Saturdays, when the closing hour is 1 p.m.

SAN FRANCISCO FLEET.

Steamer. Due. Sails.
UnatillaNov. 10 Nov. 10
QueenNov. 10 Nov. 10
VictoriaNov. 10 Nov. 10

CANADIAN-AUSTRALIAN LINE.

Steamer. Due. Sails.
WarriorIn 1899 schedule
AragoniNov. 17 Nov. 17
MioveraDec. 15 Dec. 15

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA LINE.

Steamer. Due from Orient.
Rijoun MaruDec. 2
Kinsaku MaruDec. 2
Yamaguchi MaruDec. 30
(Calling in Japan only)

C.P.R. ASIATIC LINE.

Steamer. Due. Sails.
Empress of IndiaDec. 14
Empress of JapanNov. 7
Empress of ChinaNov. 18 Dec. 5

NORTHERN PACIFIC ASIATIC LINE.

Steamer. Due. Sails.
TacomaJan. 7 Jan. 13
SeattleJan. 31 Jan. 1
OlympiaNov. 19 Nov. 27
GlenoNov. 20 Dec. 4

ALASKAN LINERS.

Steamer. Due. Sails.
AmurNov. 15 Nov. 8
LauraNov. 8 Nov. 1
DirigoNov. 12 Nov. 3
DanubeNov. 18 Nov. 8
Queen CityNov. 18 Nov. 12
Cottage CityNov. 12 Nov. 16
Al-KiNov. 3 Nov. 11
City of TopekaNov. 7 Nov. 11

Horse laid up.

MERCHANTMAN.

At Victoria.
British ship Riverside, 1,500 tons; Capt. McLeod; general cargo for Victoria and Vancouver.

Bark Harvester, 1,378 tons; here for repairs.
British ship Celtic Rea, 1,783 tons; chartered by Robt. Ward & Co. to load salmon for the United Kingdom.

Peruvian bark Japan, 304 tons; Capt. Gonzalez; under charter to load at Moodyville for Pisco.

Latest Charters.

Harry Morse, American bark, 1,241 tons; chartered to load at Departure Bay for Honolulu.

At Moodyville.
American bark Seminole, 1,322 tons; Capt. Taylor; loading for Adelaide.

Ewell, Am. bk., loading for Adelaide.
Hindooan, Chl. sh., loading for South America.

American bark Carrolton, Capt. Jones; 1,300 tons.

At Chemalnas.
American bark Rufus E. Woods, 1,332 tons; Capt. McLeod; loading for Sydney.

American bark, Colusa, loading for Sydney.
American barkentine, Robt. Searle, loading for Shanghai.

At Royal City Mills.
Chilian bark, Elisa, Capt. Harkn; loading for China.

American schooner John D. Tallent; loading for Australia.
British bark Gartmore, 1,025 tons; Capt. Carrance; loading for Iquique.

At Departure Bay.
Bark Wilna, Capt. Slater; loading for San Francisco.

Ship America, 1,309 tons; Capt. Harding; loading for San Francisco.

American ship James Nesmith, 1,033 tons; Capt. McLeod; loading for San Francisco.

Bark The Bonanza, 1,309 tons; loading for San Francisco.

Bark Hayden Brown, 822 tons; Capt. Weldon.

For British Columbia.
Glory Cross, Br. bk., 1,309 tons; from Cardiff, loading for London.

Drumbrinton, Br. ship, 1,773 tons; Capt. Spurring; from London, with general cargo.

Meirose, American bark, Capt. Peterson; from Santa Rosalia, via San Francisco.

J. B. Brown, 1,407 tons, Capt. Maguire, under charter to load lumber for Sydney; en route from Honolulu.

John Smith, Chl. sh., 529 tons, Capt. Groth, chartered to load for Capetown, en route from Taku.

Helen Donny, British bark, 728 tons, Capt. Smith, chartered to load lumber for Melbourne, en route from Newcastle via Honolulu.

John A. Briggs, 1,090 tons, Capt. Balch, chartered to load lumber for Capetown coming from Sydney via Honolulu.

To get relief from indigestion, biliousness, constipation or torpid liver without disturbing the stomach or purging the bowels, take a few doses of Carter's Little Liver Pills, they will please you.

Current Comment

SAVAGERY IN POLITICS.
There is no province of the Dominion where public sentiment is so sensitive in respect to the honorable treatment of members of the civil service as British Columbia. Although of late a small class of politicians has appeared who look to a change of government as an event to be followed by a general sweep in the personnel of the civil service, yet we are glad to say that the bulk of the voting population of the province is rigidly opposed to this detestable American practice. It is no surprise to us, therefore, to hear from all sides murmurs of dissent, disgust and disapprobation at the wholesale dismissals which have taken place since Mr. Scanlin took office as the first minister of the province. Nor are these murmurs confined to the opposition. On the contrary, they find expression from the mouths of those who were among the most inveterate opponents of Mr. Turner's ministry. Our politics hitherto have been conducted without evidence of savage or vindictive personality. The sphere of our social life is too circumscribed to permit or warfare of this kind, but with the advent of the present government, who are apparently strangers to those finer feelings which formerly governed the political life of this province, has also come a petty spiteful state of social unrest, which has caused discord and ill-feeling in communities once contented and happy.—Wellington Enterprise.

THE LATE DR. FURRER.
A gentle, generous and kind spirit passed from among us yesterday morning in the death of Dr. Edward Furrer at the Jubilee hospital in Victoria. A man of great heart, of infinite tenderness, a man full of kindness and sympathy was Dr. Furrer. Those who knew him best loved him most and his death leaves a void in the hearts of many. He came to Kamloops over eleven years ago, and from that day until the day he left us worked for the advancement of the city and the good of the people. For him at last the mortal veil washed pure with many weeping.

Is rent away?
And the great soul that sat within its prison Hath found the day.

We join with his many friends in bidding him a last and a sorrowful farewell, and in grieving that we can never press his honest and manly hand again.—Kamloops Standard.

ALDERMEN TAKE NOTICE.

For refusing to keep the streets clean about fourteen hundred residents of a village in Russia (Schemonsk) have been sent to prison. That's the sort of a life and law they have in Czarland.—Kingston Whig.

FIRE ALARM BOXES.

To ring in an alarm break the glass covering the key, open the door, and pull down the hook on the inner door once, let it go; remain at the box to direct the firemen.

All the fire halls are connected with telephone 538.
2—Birdsedge Walk and Superior street, James Bay.

4—Carr and Simcoe streets, James Bay.
5—Melhgan and Menzies street, James Bay.

6—Menzies and Niagara streets, James Bay.
7—Montreal and Kingston streets, James Bay.

8—Montreal and Simcoe streets, James Bay.
9—Dallan road and Simcoe street, James Bay.

14—Vancouver and Burdette avenue.
15—Douglas and Humboldt streets.
16—Humboldt and Rupert streets.

23—Fort and Government streets.
24—Yates and Wharf streets.
25—Johnson and Government streets.

26—Douglas at between Fort and View.
27—No. 1 Fire Hall, Pandora street.
28—New and Blanchard streets.

32—Fort and Quadra streets.
34—Yates and Cook streets.
35—Yates and Fernwood streets.

36—Junction Oak Bay and Cadboro roads.
37—Cadboro and Richmond roads.
41—Quadra and Pandora streets.

42—Chatham and Blanchard streets.
43—Caledonia and Cook streets.
45—Spring Ridge.

51—Douglas and Discovery streets.
52—Government and Princess streets.
53—King road and Second street.

54—Fountain, Douglas street and Hillside avenue.
56—Oaklands Fire Hall.
61—Cormorant and Store streets.

62—Discovery and Store streets.
63—John and Bridge streets.
64—Catherine street, Victoria West.

65—Springfield ave. and Esquimalt road.
71—Douglas street and Burnside road.

POSTAL INFORMATION.

The post office general delivery is open daily from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. (except Sundays); registry wicket from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.; money order and savings bank from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Street letter boxes are placed throughout the city as follows:

Cor. Store and Discovery streets.
Jet. Government and Douglas streets.
Cor. Quadra and Pandora avenue.

Cor. Quadra and Pioneer streets.
Cor. Carr and Niagara streets.
Cor. Kings road and Second street.

Cor. Fernwood road and Yates street.
Cor. Cook and Fort streets.
Cor. Menzies and Quebec streets.

Cor. Montreal and Quebec streets.
Cor. Macleure and Collinson street.
Cor. Vancouver and Richardson streets.

Cor. Caledonia ave. and Chambers street.
Cor. Kings road and Second street.
Cor. Bridge and John streets.

Cor. St. Lawrence and Simcoe streets.
Cor. Oak and Cadboro Bay roads.
Deirdre Hotel.

The public are cautioned against posting anything but letters in the street letter boxes, as the forcing of newspapers, etc., prevents letters from being safely deposited in the boxes. Collections are made from letter boxes at 11 a.m. and 5 p.m. in time for despatch by the principal mails. Letters with valuable contents must not be posted in letter boxes, but should be taken to post office, and receipt obtained therefor.

On Sunday there is only one collection from the boxes, at 9 p.m.

There is a general delivery throughout the city twice daily, commencing at 8 a.m. and 3 p.m.

MONTAGUE, OF DUNVILLE, CURED OF ULCERATED ITCHING PILLS.
Mr. Robert Montague, of Dunville, Ont., writes: "I was troubled with itching piles for five years and was so badly ulcerated that I was very miserable, and much so that I could not sleep. I tried almost every medicine known when I was recommended to use Dr. Chase's Ointment. I purchased a box and from the first application got relief. Have used two boxes and am now completely cured."

Boys' English Sailor Suits, \$1, \$1.75 \$2.50 \$3.50. B. Williams Co.

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CURE
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Headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Distress after eating, Pain in the Side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing

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As they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint, but fortunately their goodness does not end there, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

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Carter's Little Liver Pills are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not gripe or purge, but by their action cleanse the system and build up the weak. In vial at 25 cents; for \$1. Sold by druggists everywhere, or sent by mail.

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YUKON MINERS
I am prepared to buy good properties for any party who are unable to come out this spring. Parties wishing a claim or two should come as early as possible, as I intend to leave in July to visit my family in Edmonton and to bring out my sons. Letters should be accompanied by draft on a deposit amounting to \$100.00 to the American Trading & Transportation Co. made in my favor. Being on the ground and having long experience, I am in a position to buy to advantage. Claims of unprospected properties can today be bought for from one to five thousand which may be very profitable. I will be in Victoria early in August and again about the 20th. Or any parties preferring to deposit money with me, I will advise me of the same and what amount they wish to pay for a claim, and I can return the bill of sale and records.

NOTICE
I hereby give notice that I shall apply at the next sitting of the Board of License Commissioners, held in the city of Victoria, for a transfer of the license now held by me of the Germania Saloon, Johnson street, to William T. Dickenson. (Signed) B. WALKER.

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that application will be made at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victoria, B.C., for a transfer from Lionel Dickinson to Joseph A. Rogers of the retail liquor license of the premises known as the Elk Saloon, situated on the corner of Douglas and Pandora streets, in the said city of Victoria, B.C.

PUBLIC NOTICE.
The attention of incorporated companies, who are the owners of lands or improvements of lands situate within the municipality, is hereby called to Section 2 of the Municipal Elections Act Amendment Act, 1898, which provides that the representative of such companies is entitled to have his or her name placed on the Municipal Voters' List for the year 1898.

Such companies desiring a vote under this provision are hereby requested to send the names of such representatives to the undersigned, or before the 15th day of November next.
By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.
Victoria, B.C., October 26, 1898.

NOTICE—MORTGAGEE'S SALE.
Under and by virtue of a certain mortgage, bearing date the 9th day of November, 1892, and registered in the Land Register Office, Victoria, B.C., in Charge Book, Vol. 11, Fol. 693, No. 137780, tenders will be received by the undersigned up to the 24th of November next for the purchase of all that piece or parcel of land, situate lying and being in Lake District, Vancouver Island, British Columbia, being the western portion of section XLVI (forty-six), and part of southern portion of section XLV (forty-five), the whole being sold, and containing 40 acres (more or less). The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Broughton, Dun Veleton & Innes, 39 1/2 Langley street, Victoria, B.C., Solicitors for the Mortgagee.

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Can be bought at Stoddart's at prices (considering quality) quite as cheap as the Eastern houses advertise their goods. The customer in buying here will save freight, and if the goods are found not satisfactory can be exchanged easier than sending goods back to Toronto, etc.

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CASHMORE'S, 103 Douglas street; buy and exchange all kinds of books and novels.

DRAYMAN.
JOSEPH HANBY, Truck and Drayman, Office 26 Yates street; stables 119 Superlor street; Telephone 171.

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CHAS. HAYWARD, 62 Government street.

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VICTORIA TRANS. CO., 21 Broughton st.—Largest stock of horses, carriages, etc. for hire.

VICTORIA TRUCK AND DRAY CO.—Telephone 13.

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BEN WILLIAMS & CO., 44 Fort St., mining brokers and operators. Stocks and shares sold on commission. Correspondence solicited.

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MAYNARD'S ART STUDIO, No. 41 Pandora street, dealers in all kinds of photographic material; views of British Columbia and Alaska.

Sema Block—Maynard's Shoe and Finding Store, 41 Pandora street; boots, shoes, leather and shoe findings; "K" boots, etc. specialty.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL BUTCHERS.
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PAISLEY DYE WORKS—Tel. 410. The old reliable. Established 1885. 116 Yates street.

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ED LINES, General Scavenger, 238 Yates street. Yards, etc., cleaned. Orders left at Jas. Townsend, 80 Government street; Speed Bros., corner Douglas and Fort; or Schroeder Bros., corner Menzies and Michigan, will be promptly attended to.

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